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In re application of: Cheng et al.

Application No.: 09/459,022

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For: AN IMPROVED EFFICIENCY  
AGROBACTERIUM-MEDIATED PLANT  
TRANSFORMATION METHOD

Group No.: 1649

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. section 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three months to render Amendment and Response timely filed..

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

3. Applicant is other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. section 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):

Extension:  
three months

Fee for other than small entity:  
\$870.00

Fee 870.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 870.00

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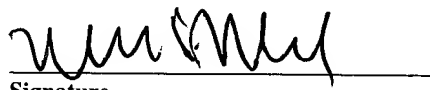
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5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on August 28, 2000.

6. Fee Payment

Charge fee to Account No. 13-4125. This is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Date: 28 August 2000

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